

NATIONALS HOLD MEETING TODAY

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Special to The News
NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Club owners and officials of the National League of Baseball Clubs are rounding up in this city preparatory to the adjourned annual meeting to be held tomorrow. The meeting will be little more than perfunctory. The only real business to be transacted is the adoption of the playing schedule already decided upon for the coming season. The American league schedule will be announced at the same time, although the opening spring meeting of the two leagues will not take place until the first week in March, just before the arrival of the baseball tourists from Europe.

SPORT CALENDAR FOR WEEK

Tuesday.
Schedule meeting of National League of Baseball Clubs, at New York.

Annual meeting of American Polo Association, at New York.

Gus Christie vs. Glen Coakley, 10 rounds, at Terre Haute, Ind.

Wednesday.

Annual tournament of International Bowling Association opens in Minneapolis.

Annual bonspiel of Manitoba Curling Association opens at Winnipeg.

Annual St. Valentine's golf tournament for women opens at Pinehurst, N. C.

Annual indoor track and field games of New York Athletic Club, at New York.

Opening of annual exhibition of the Louisville Automobile Dealers' Association.

Thursday.

Canadian figure skating championships for the Grey Cup begin in Ottawa.

National indoor lawn tennis championship tournament opens in New York City.

Annual championship tournament for the gold racquet, at Tuxedo Park, N. Y.

Jimmy Clabby vs. Ed Petroskey, 20 rounds, at Vernon, Cal.

Johnny Lore vs. Patsy Drouillard, 8 rounds, at Windsor, Ont.

Friday.

Annual meeting of United States National Lawn Tennis Association, at New York.

National intercity and individual squash racquet championships, at Philadelphia.

Saturday.

World's speed championship ice skating races begin at Christiansburg, Norway.

Meeting of Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Gymnasts, at New York.

Opening of national championship ski meet, at Virginia, Minn.

Annual bench show of the Newark Kenning Club, Newark, N. J.

All rates must be accompanied by the cash.

FRANK GOTCH TELLS OF HEADLOCK HOLD



Gotch Applying the Headlock.

"Followers of wrestling believe that the toe hold is the most terrible grip in the game," says Gotch, "but that is an erroneous idea. One cannot deprive an opponent of life with the toe hold. One can kill his opponent with a flying mare, a strangle hold or a headlock. The strangle hold is barred in professional wrestling, but the flying mare and headlock are permissible."

"It is possible for a strong wrestler to break his opponent's neck by a quick wrench of the head with a punishing headlock. Probably more wrestlers have been killed by the flying mare than any other hold, and this leads to the assertion that few men of the mat are killed in professional matches. A wrestler of small stature may become a giant in relative wrestling ability after perfecting a headlock or some form of this grip. That is what has added to the fame of Fred Beell, the best little man possible."

"I have used the headlock in a few of my matches, although it is a splendid means of winning when pitted against a dangerous opponent. I defeated Jenkins February 1, 1905, at Cleveland, with a form of the headlock. Jenkins was the strongest catch-as-catch-can wrestler of his time, and I used this hold because I had to take advantage of any opportunity to pin him."

"The headlock is secured in two ways. It may be placed on a wrestler when he is on his hands and knees on the mat, and in this position an arm is usually locked with the head if the attacker is on the right side, he may push down the head of his opponent, resting his left arm heavily on the head. He reaches under his opponent's right arm and grabs his own left hand just below the wrist. In

this way the head may be drawn toward the arm with which it is securely locked against the attacker.

The right arm of the defensive wrestler is helpless and he may be drawn to the side and easily forced to the mat.

"Beell's headlock, however, does not include an arm. This is a form of the headlock I have used at times, but have relinquished it when it might injure an opponent. It is secured when the opponent is in a standing position."

"The attacker may pull down his opponent's head, reaching over his head with his left hand. With his right hand he reaches under the head of his opponent and grasps his own left hand just below the wrist. The attacker's left hand fits into the law of the defensive wrestler on the right side. The head is drawn in and locked. Then the twist may be applied and the defensive wrestler draws to the mat. Beell's short arm and great strength in his arms and shoulders make him peculiarly constructed by nature to apply this grip."

"Tom Jenkins defeated me with Beell's form of the headlock in one of the toughest matches of my life at Cleveland, February 22, 1903. Some could not understand why I lost to Jenkins. The headlock defeated me with a wrestler as strong as Jenkins. He secured this jaw lock on me while we were standing. I tried in vain to extricate myself. Jenkins applied the twist, and I began to think of all the mean things I had ever done. I seized my head for future use, so I dropped to the mat. Jenkins retained the hold, and when he pinned me with it, I swear he would never get that grip on me again."

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KOLEHMANNEN WANTS TO RUN

Noted Finn Amateur Challenges Any Four Men to Race for One Hour—Chance to Break Record.

Hannes Kolehmainen, the amateur runner, has come forward with an offer to run any four men in the country in relays for one hour.

Athletic sharpshooter thinks that he would be beaten by any four good distance men in training.

They all agree, however, that such a race would give the wonderful Finn a

GOSSIP AMONG SPORTS

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splendid chance to beat Alfred Shrubb's record for the hour, which is 11 miles 13 yards, a world's mark for the distance.

McAllister Knocked Out.

Mike Gibbons, the St. Paul middle-weight, knocked out Bob McAllister of San Francisco in the seventh round of their ten-round match at New York.

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COLLEGE SPORT SHOWS REVIVAL

SPRING SCHEDULES COMPLETED AND SQUADS DOWN TO HARD TRAINING.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—With the spring track and field schedules completed and large squads of athletes training at all the eastern universities, it is possible to secure a general line on the activities and prospects of the various teams for the season of 1914. While all the leading colleges report many veterans and novices and turf performers in training there appears to be little indication at this time of unusual advantage. According to general report there is a noticeable lack of sensational novice material for the varsity teams and trainers are in a rule, counting upon the veterans of the past two seasons for the points which may be reasonably anticipated among the colleges so early in the season.

Using the Intercollegiate championship meet of last year as a basis upon which to work it is seen that Pennsylvania, which won the title with a score of 24 points, is again favored with athletic material of considerable strength. The Harvard Big appears to have the best balanced team in sight, being strong in every position except hurdling, high jump and long jump. In lane Pennsylvania, which won the title with a score of 23 points, is second, with Cornell third, and Columbia fourth.

The crew situation is in the hands of a committee. They have a hard task. The idea is not to have three different systems, and a uniform set of eight men to stand for it, but to get men in charge, to fit them to work together, and develop a continuous policy.

Young Meredith, world's record holder for the one-half mile, will be eligible this spring. Kelly is an excellent performer at both the 440 and the broad jump. In lane Pennsylvania, which won the title with a score of 23 points, is second, with Cornell third, and Columbia fourth.

The outlook at Harvard, which finished second with 21 1/2 points, is not so satisfactory, and Coach Owers and Donovan will have to develop a number of new men if the Crimson team is to repeat its record of last season. The Cambridge squad promises to be strong in the middle and long distance runs and the weight events. Many points which were lost by graduation last June and the freshmen material of 1913 is not particularly promising when compared to that of the other colleges of the east.

At Cornell Trainer Jack Monk has 140 athletes in training. The Ithaca team finished fourth with 14 1/2 points in 1913, and defeated third placed by Michigan. Monk has stated that he expects an unusually hard spring this year since he must depend upon the men of the class of 1913, and the seniors of 1912, and the freshmen of 1914.

At Princeton Trainer Frank Hinckley, in addition to being one of the old school players, has always been a man who is willing to try a new way. He is ready to move, and should think we can progress and fashion there and take up the work from where we left it last year.

According to statistics recently compiled by the Princeton University Faculty Athletic committee Michigan leads in the number of students available for variety and freshman athletic teams. Cornell is second and Columbia third. The enrollment of athletic material, if it may be termed as such, is as follows: Michigan, 519; Cornell, 450; Pennsylvania, 370; Columbia, 357; Harvard, 325; Wisconsin, 270; Illinois, 182; Princeton, 162 and Dartmouth, 122.

Graduate Athletic Manager Warren Boyd of the University of Southern California, has received word from the Oxford University Rugby Football Association that the English varsity team will play a series of matches with the Southern California team next winter.

In order to make the trip to England at least a month's absence from college would be necessary.

If the series is arranged the tourists will be undertaken during the Christmas holiday period.

Dartmouth, which won fifth place at the U. S. A. A. meet with 14 points, is not optimistic regarding its track team.

Coach Harry Harrington states that like Cornell, gradually moving on firmly into the point system. The present sophomore class contains no athlete above the varsity standard. Of the twenty-three athletes who won their letters in 1913 but eight remain, and half of them are still in the track team.

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